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Title: SLIDINGLY DETACHABLE CORE MEMBER AND COLD SHRINK TUBE UNIT
HAVING THE SAME

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § AND
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action, dated March 13, 2006, in the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

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